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THE RECTOR RESIGNS.

Bishop Keane of Catholic University Explains.

HE WELCOMES THE RELEASE

The Pope Expects the University Rector to an Archbishop and Invents Him to Home The Correspondence.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Bishop Keane, rector of the Catholic University of America, makes the following statement concerning his withdrawal from the post of that institution:

"Since my withdrawal from the rectorship of the Catholic University of America with prayer to be required by a considerable portion of the American public as a matter of some interest to them, and since unauthorized statements are apt to be misleading I deem it my duty to state briefly and clearly the facts in the case.

"On Sept. 26 I received through the messenger, Cardinal Gibbons, a letter from our holy father, Leo XIII, of which the following is a translation:

"To Our Venerable Brother, John Joseph Keane, Bishop of Astoria:

"VENERABLE BROTHER, HEALTH AND APOSTOLIC BLESSING.—It is satisfactory that you are appointed to preside over the Catholic university which should hold the office of perpetuity. This mission has grown up through your own efforts and the assistance of others. It is a task of great importance and one which should be held with the utmost care. You have shown yourself to be a man of great ability and of great energy. We have no doubt that you will be able to carry out the mission which we have entrusted to you with the same success and the same energy which you have shown in the past."

"Being a man of your own free will, we leave to you the choice of whether you will accept or decline the mission which we have entrusted to you. We leave to you the choice of whether you will accept or decline the mission which we have entrusted to you."

"The next day I mailed to the holy father a reply of which the following is a translation:

"Most Holy Father.—His eminence, Cardinal Gibbons, yesterday handed me the letter in which your holiness made known to me that my resignation of the office of rector of the Catholic University of America had been accepted. I was fully ready to welcome what has been done."

"Without a moment's hesitation I accept the will of your holiness in the matter as a manifestation of the providence of God, and from this moment I resign to the hands of his eminence, the cardinal, the office of rector with all the rights thereto attaching."

"I choose to remain in my own country, and moreover, without any official position whatsoever, in tranquility and peace."

Supplementing the letters, Bishop Keane says:

"I welcome my release from the office of rector of the university with profound gratitude to Divine Providence and the pope. While I always regarded the duties as a labor of love, they had grown to be far beyond my strength and abilities, and the deliverance from the burden is a response to many prayers. I was loyal a soldier to wait to be relieved from my post, a matter which is difficult, but feeling that my resignation was close to the end of my career, I was fully ready to welcome what has been done."

MORMONS IN KENTUCKY.

An Outbreak is Expected to Occur at Any Time.

Grayson, Ky., Oct. 5.—Mormon elders are swarming like locusts in eastern Kentucky, taking advantage of the intense political excitement. They are moving, selecting positions, gaining footholds and laying lines for the severest religious conflict of modern times. There are over 1,000 picked men in the field. They scout in pairs, go "foot-back," enter every cabin, preach in every grove and schoolhouse, sow their literature knee deep.

There is now being planned an alignment of forces in eastern and western Kentucky to invade central Kentucky. The only opposition comes from "The Males," a local protective order which has passed on the word to mountain householders that if any of these Mormons are fed or lodged the feeder will be the center of attraction in a necktie party.

Neal's Saddlebag College of Mountain Evangelists have begun to ride and preach against the Mormons.

An outbreak is expected hourly in this section.

IN MUSIC HALL.

Ex-President Harrison Has Consented to Speak in Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Oct. 5.—The Republican campaign committee has received a telegram from ex-President Harrison consenting to make a political speech at Music hall in this city next Wednesday night. He will be here during Wednesday to look after the tomb of his grandparents and father at North Bend and to attend a law case in the courts. On Thursday night he will speak at Charleston, W. Va. Hon. Thomas McDougall will preside.

Will Attack Hanna.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—The Democratic national labor bureau has ordered the printing of 1,000,000 copies of a document attacking Mark Hanna's record as an employer. It is sought to connect him in a damaging way with the fight against the Seamen's union at Cleveland and other lake ports some 15 years ago.

Have Gone to Montreal.

Peoria, Ill., Oct. 5.—Grand Master Sargent of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Grand Master Morrissey of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen have gone to Montreal to be on the ground and protect the interests of their orders in the Canadian Pacific strike.

Night Air Meeting.

Bellefontaine, O., Oct. 5.—A boy baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Snyder without a right arm, but perfect and healthy every other way.

INDUSTRIAL LESSON.

How the Farmer Feels Under the Competition of the City.

At 5 o'clock a farmer from the country, who had been in the city for some time, was seen in the streets. He was a man of about 40 years of age, with a weathered face and a few strands of gray hair. He was wearing a simple, dark suit and a hat. He was walking with a slow, steady gait, looking down at the ground as he walked. He was carrying a bundle of sticks or straw over his shoulder. He was seen in the streets of the city, where he was surrounded by the hustle and bustle of the city. He was seen in the streets of the city, where he was surrounded by the hustle and bustle of the city. He was seen in the streets of the city, where he was surrounded by the hustle and bustle of the city.

WHEN SHERMAN WAS HONEST.

Legislation Alone Gives Value to the Precious Metals.

When John Sherman thought less of self and more of his country, and when he was less subservient to the money power he wrote as follows in a report made to the United States Senate June 3, 1868. All his sophistry of today cannot weaken the force or cloud the truth of what he then said:

"The gold standard is an American idea, yielded so reluctantly by France and other countries where gold and silver are the standard of value. The annual supply of the precious metals has little or nothing to do with their value. What is it, then, that affects their value? Is it the demand? Very little of it can be used. Therefore, it is its use as money that creates a demand for it and gives it its value. If all the European states and our country were today to demonetize gold and remonetize silver would not these two metals immediately change places? Now, if this be true, what is it that creates the value of the precious metals? It is legislation. Legislation gives value to the precious metals and the commercial value simply records the condition of legislation with reference to the precious metals. Now, if legislation creates the chief demand for money, if we legislate so as to utilize silver, we increase the demand and thus increase the value of silver."

CONSPIRACY OF THE SHYLOCKS.

Earnest Words of a Leading and Life-Long Republican.

The gold craze is dying out. The men who were proud to be known as members of the party of Abraham Lincoln will refuse to line up with Mark Hanna's Shylocks and their Democratic camp followers. Hon. H. S. Cochran, one of the best-known lawyers of Iowa and a life-long Republican, in a recent address said:

"I denounce the St. Louis Republican platform because it seeks to stab to death the constitution of the United States. It seeks to engraft upon the constitution, without consulting the states which made it, the treasonable sentiment that congress, as agent of the people, shall not coin money without consent of foreign powers. It was made at the dictation of the gold gamblers of Wall street and London. It was made in the face of all the patriotic utterances of every leading Republican statesman in the country and repudiated all they have heretofore said and done. It stigmatizes itself and framers, and the honest producers of the farm and in the factory and everywhere will see to it that gold gambling in this country shall cease, and unjust discrimination shall not be tolerated."

Un-American Gold Bugs.

The assumption of the Wall street gold bug is monumental, his cheek is named covids and his heart is adamant.

He talks about the honor of the government, yet he is every day trying to plunge it into bankruptcy by his own personal gain. When men were sacrificing their lives to save the nation he refused to loan his money to it, except at 24 or more per cent., and instead of going to the front strait at home to make shoddy. When the army of his country met with defeat in the field he looked his wealth in his vaults and when the government asked for gold he put a big premium on it. Though American by birth, he is a foreigner by instinct and profession, for he would deny the American people the right to issue money enough to do the business of the country so that they might become debtors to a foreign nation.

Senator Allison on Silver.

In the debate on the Sherman act in the United States senate, June 16, 1896, Senator William B. Allison said: "The affairs of this country cannot be conducted upon the single basis of gold, and the war and the contest today is between those who seek to destroy and outlaw silver and those who seek to place it upon an equality with gold. That is the contest, and I am for the full and complete restoration of silver as one of the coin metals of the world, and therefore I propose to do whatever I can to promote that most desirable object."

General Bragg.

General Bragg, that he was treated very shabby at Indianapolis. But again general, it's fashionable and you're used to it.

Arkansas has twice as many electoral votes as Vermont, her majority is twice as large and the result is twice as significant.

Gold Democrats have talked a good deal about 'Preserving the Ark of the covenant.' Did they hear from it Monday?

MODERN WARFARE.

A Single Regiment Would Probably Destroy the Enemy.

Summing up the war to question, as between any two European peace-trained armies of the present day, the extreme percentage of loss to be anticipated locally—i.e., on particular brigades and divisions—will not exceed one in three (of which one is killed to four wounded), whereas for whole armies of 200,000 and over one in ten is the very outside punishment we may reasonably expect.

Compared to the slaughter of the seven years' war and the best contested fields of the Napoleonic period, this is very little indeed. At Zorndorf the Russians left 21,000 out of 52,000 on the ground, and though this is undoubtedly the bloodiest battle recorded since the introduction of portable firearms, Eylau, Friedland, Wagram and Borodino all exceed the figures for any pitched battle since the breech-loader appeared in the field. Moreover, the horror of the whole thing is not to be measured by figures of percentages only, but by the density in which the killed and wounded he, and the fate of the latter afterward. In a modern battle 20,000 men would fall on an area of about 20 square miles. At Zorndorf the 21,000 Russians and 12,000 Prussians lay on a single square mile, and of the wounded not one in three survived, whereas, in 1870, nine out of ten recovered, and the Prussian medical staff anticipated even better results next time.

But death on the battlefield is by far the least of the two evils the soldier has to face. There is death on the line of march and in hospitals along the road. Whereas formerly, particularly under Napoleon, ten would die by the way for one who fell in action. In the last Franco-German war only one man died of disease for two killed in action. Indeed, the health of men in the full prime of life was actually slightly better in the field than in quarters.

If, however, be argued that, even granted that battles and marches will be more of them, because, every able-bodied man being trained for war, the resistance will be more prolonged than formerly, but this prolonged endurance is only conceivable under the supposition that the leaders on both sides are hopelessly incompetent, and both fear to stake all on a single collision, a supposition that nothing tends to justify. On the contrary, every leader brought up in the modern school is taught to understand the vulnerability of all modern military organizations and is penetrated with the conviction that one downright knockout blow effects more than weeks of purposeless sparring, and where both start determined to bring matters to a climax the decision cannot long be delayed. Judging from what we know of the relative efficiency of continental armies, we believe that the first round of the great encounter will also be the last, for the momentum of the blow which decides will simply paralyze every nerve of the opponent's body, and adding up all sources of casualties that can occur in a short campaign of this description, we conclude that at the very worst the actual cost in human life to the powers engaged will not amount to more than 5 per cent of their several populations, or almost identically the same percentage as the influenza epidemic of 1891-2 cost Germany, and rather less than the same epidemic cost us. To suppose that this degree of blood guiltiness would chain the wills of any responsible body of statesmen who believed that they were acting in the interests of their country is surely too Utopian an idea for profitable discussion.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Dog and Telegraph.

The most intelligent dog I know "resides" at Haxey, in the Isle of Axholme and is named Staffa. Some years since, when his owner was appointed subpostmaster of the village, Staffa learned to distinguish the telegraph call signal of the office in less than three weeks. I was present in the office one day and was asking the telegraph clerk how she got on with her work, when the needle began to sound. Almost immediately Staffa came trotting in with the messenger's hat in his mouth. "Why," said the girl, "that must be our call," and so it was. The dog had known it before the clerk. To appreciate this fact it should be known that the call signals of two or three of the offices on the circuit are so much alike in sound that even a practiced ear may be in doubt as to which is which. Staffa, however, I was assured, never made a mistake.—Notes and Queries.

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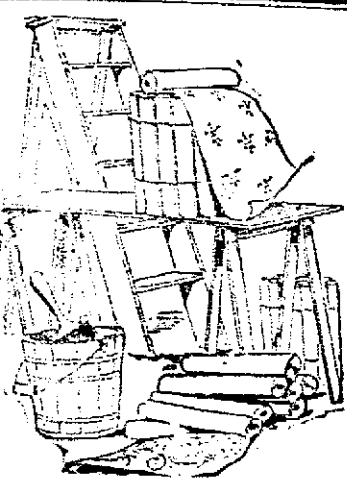
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| Going East, daily | 7:45 a.m. |
| ex. Sunday | 8:30 a.m. |
| Going West, daily | 9:30 p.m. |
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C. & W. R. R.

Going North, daily 1:35 a.m. || ex. Sunday | 2:30 a.m. |
| Going South, daily | 4:30 p.m. |
| ex. Sunday | 5:30 p.m. |
| Limited, daily | 9:30 p.m. |
| ex. Sunday | 8:30 p.m. |
| Limited, daily | 9:30 p.m. |
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Going East, daily ex. Sunday 7:30 a.m. || ex. Sunday | 8:30 a.m. |
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OHIO SOUTHERN.

Arrives, daily, except Sunday 11:05 noon || ex. Sunday | 6:05 p.m. |

LIMA NORTHERN.

GOING NORTH. || Express, leaves | 8:05 a.m. |
| Local | 10:05 a.m. |
| Express | 6:10 p.m. |

GOING SOUTH.

Express, arrives 8:30 a.m. || Local | 10:30 a.m. |
| Express | 8:00 p.m. |

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HOME SECRETS.

Lima Parents Keep Them;
but with a little light, there
NEED BE NONE.

How carefully parents guard the secrets of their boys and girls. At night as they carefully tuck the bed clothes round them they chide and warn that they will be angry if they repeat last night's offense, softly saying to themselves it's only a habit, but we must break them of it. This is the parents' mistake. The children cannot help it, and sweet, clean, dry beds can be the resting place of every child when it is understood that the cause is not a habit but a weakness that can be cured. Active life of the little ones tends to weakening the kidneys, and weak kidneys means inability to retain the urine. This is a condition, not a habit, and should have the same prompt attention you would give to the marked symptoms of any disease. One Doan's Kidney Pills taken twice a day and at bedtime will strengthen the kidneys of a child, and in a short time there will be no cause to scold, for the so-called habit will disappear promptly.

Mr. Wm. Maurer, Fire Dept. No. 1, says: "I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills from W. M. Melville's drug store, No. 147 N. Main street, for my little boy, aged five years. He has been troubled with incontinence of the urine during the night. I had given him several highly recommended medicines without obtaining any satisfaction. I spoke to our physician about it and he said that he would fix it all right, but his medicine had no more effect than what I had tried before. Reading of Doan's Kidney Pills and what they were doing as a kidney medicine, I thought I would try them. I am very pleased that I did. I gave him two a day and immediately he was all right, and he has remained so. I tell you they are a great medicine for the kidneys, and from this out I shall highly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills."

All dealers have them or they will be sent by mail on receipt of price, 50 cents, by writing to Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

FRIEHLING WRECK.

A Locomotive Engine on a Passenger Train Explodes.

Osage City, Kan., Oct. 5.—A frightful railroad wreck, attended by serious loss of life and made more terrible by the self-murder of one of the terrified passengers, occurred at 5 a. m. on the Santa Fe road near here.

Seven dead bodies have been recovered from the wreck, and it is feared other victims are buried beneath the debris. The wrecked train was the east-bound passenger No. 2, the same that had such a thrilling experience with bandits in New Mexico on Friday night last. The wreck was caused by the explosion of the boiler of the locomotive. The engineer should have stopped for water at Osage City, but being behind time he endeavored to run to the next tank. The engineer and fireman both met death in the wreck.

The locomotive was completely shattered. The express, baggage and passenger coaches came crashing upon the wrecked engine, and the coaches that were ahead were piled up in one heap of wreckage. The coaches in the rear were all derailed, but the passengers riding in the rear escaped serious injury.

The wreck was marked by scenes of the wildest confusion among the terrified passengers. One passenger, William Beckler of Los Angeles, en route to Chicago, seemed to lose his reason entirely. When the crash came he pulled a pistol from his pocket, and in the presence of a car full of terrified passengers took his own life. Beckler had been drinking heavily.

The Dead.
William Beckler, Los Angeles.
Engineer Strump, Topeka.
Fireman Harry Hollister, Topeka.
William McAdams, tramp, riding on baggage car and supposed to be from Chillicothe, Ia.
Three tramps, names unknown.

Ohio Man Selected.
Omaha, Oct. 5.—In the order which has been issued from the national headquarters, Grand Army of the Republic, Comrade J. C. Winans of Troy, O., is announced as senior aide-de-camp and chief of staff.

Short In His Accounts.
Nashville, Oct. 5.—N. P. Harrison, trustee of Monroe county, is missing, and an examination of his books shows a shortage of from \$7,000 to \$10,000. Warrants for his arrest have been issued.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

Electrical Currents Gathered Fresh From the News Field.

Four blocks were burned at Jeannette, La. Loss, \$80,000.

General Antonio Maceo repelled the Spaniards from Trocha.

The demand for coal is not as great in New York as in former years.

Miss Belle Bartlett was arrested at Marion, Ind., for dressing her baby in a bucket of water.

Mayor Hooper of Baltimore vetoed the ordinance providing for \$6,000 to entertain the Boston artillery.

The Democratic clubs at St. Louis complain that the railroads make low rates to Chicago, but gave the silver men no favors.

On behalf of the Buffalo club of wheelmen who visited Canton three hours (noon) with messages of good cheer to friends at Buffalo were released by Mrs. McKinley.

WORK OF SUPREME COURT.

Some of the More Noted Cases on the Docket.

Washington, Oct. 5.—After a four months' recess the United States supreme court will reconvene today for the October term. All the justices except Justice Shiras, who is expected daily, are now in the city, so that there will probably be a full bench.

The court docket now contains 61 cases against 741 at the beginning of last year's October term, and of these 28 have already been argued and submitted and are before the court for decision. It would, however, be contrary to precedent if there should be any decisions on the first Monday of the sitting. When the president is in the city the court transacts no business on the first day of the term beyond making a formal call at the White House.

The call of the regular docket will begin on Tuesday and will continue during the remainder of the week. This call will then be suspended in order to hear more urgent cases, of which there are 34, which have been especially assigned for the second week of the term.

Included in this special list are the case of the United States against the Oregon and California Railroad company, known as "the Quadrant case," and involving the company's land grant; 10 cases from Ohio and 4 from Indiana to enjoin the assessment and collection of taxes against express and telegraph companies; four from South Carolina involving the constitutionality of certain parts of the dispensary law; the United States against the Bell Telephone company, which is a suit to cancel the Berliner patents; the United States against the Union Pacific, the Winona and St. Paul and the Sioux City and St. Paul Railroad companies to restore to the United States certain lands alleged to have been illegally patented, and also several murder and other cases of a criminal nature.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL.

Governor of One of the Mexican States Accused of Violating Laws.

City of Mexico, Oct. 5.—The hall of congress was filled with spectators attracted by a report that preliminary steps looking to the impeachment of Colonel Prospero Cahuantzin, governor of the state of Tlaxcala would be taken. The constitution provides that all accusations against the president, members of the cabinet and governors of states shall be first submitted to congress, which, on hearing the charges and if deeming them serious, shall refer them to a committee, on whose report showing due cause the matter shall be referred to congress, sitting as a grand jury of the nation.

The case is a remarkable one, as the governor is accused of violating laws of reform enacted at the time of President Juarez, it being a body of laws regulating the relations between church and state. Accusations are made that the governor recently attended, in his official capacity, the funeral of the late Bishop Meliton Vargas of Puebla and allowed his body to be buried in the church, two distinct violations of the reform laws. The case went over until Wednesday.

Fatal Family Quarrel.

Bristol, Tenn., Oct. 5.—A bloody tragedy is reported from Jonesville, Va., in which a father and son met death at the hands of the former's son-in-law. Some time ago Arch Bales married a daughter of John Henry Jayne, and the couple made their home with her father until recently, when a family quarrel resulted in Bales leaving the house with his wife and locating in another neighborhood. Jayne, accompanied by his son John, went to Bales' home for the purpose of inducing his daughter to leave her husband and return home. Soon after they reached Bales' house they demanded that Mrs. Bales return home with them. Mrs. Bales was upstairs at the time, and hurrying up the stairway Bales secured a gun and fired upon Jayne and son.

Much Barley Spoiled.

London, Oct. 5.—The wet weather of the past week has done damage to the crops in the midlands, in the north of England and in Scotland. Much barley has been spoiled for malting.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For Oct. 5.

New York.
Beef—Packers, \$10.00; extra mess, \$8.50; 7:00; packed, \$7.00; 6:00; 5:00; 4:00; 3:00; 2:00; 1:00; 0:00.
Pork—City, \$10.00; extra, \$8.50; 7:00; 6:00; 5:00; 4:00; 3:00; 2:00; 1:00; 0:00.
Wheat—No. 1, \$1.00; No. 2, \$0.95; No. 3, \$0.90; No. 4, \$0.85; No. 5, \$0.80; No. 6, \$0.75; No. 7, \$0.70; No. 8, \$0.65; No. 9, \$0.60; No. 10, \$0.55; No. 11, \$0.50; No. 12, \$0.45; No. 13, \$0.40; No. 14, \$0.35; No. 15, \$0.30; No. 16, \$0.25; No. 17, \$0.20; No. 18, \$0.15; No. 19, \$0.10; No. 20, \$0.05; No. 21, \$0.00; No. 22, \$0.00; No. 23, \$0.00; No. 24, \$0.00; No. 25, \$0.00; No. 26, \$0.00; No. 27, \$0.00; No. 28, \$0.00; No. 29, \$0.00; No. 30, \$0.00; No. 31, \$0.00; No. 32, \$0.00; No. 33, \$0.00; No. 34, \$0.00; No. 35, \$0.00; No. 36, \$0.00; No. 37, \$0.00; No. 38, \$0.00; No. 39, \$0.00; No. 40, \$0.00; No. 41, \$0.00; No. 42, \$0.00; No. 43, \$0.00; No. 44, \$0.00; No. 45, \$0.00; No. 46, \$0.00; No. 47, \$0.00; No. 48, \$0.00; No. 49, \$0.00; No. 50, \$0.00; No. 51, \$0.00; No. 52, \$0.00; No. 53, \$0.00; No. 54, \$0.00; No. 55, \$0.00; No. 56, \$0.00; No. 57, \$0.00; No. 58, \$0.00; No. 59, \$0.00; No. 60, \$0.00; No. 61, \$0.00; No. 62, \$0.00; No. 63, \$0.00; 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Third—James A. Gilmore, Eaton.

Fourth—Lewis J. George, North Star.

Fifth—Blair Hagerty, Montpelier.

Seventh—Edward H. Raynor, Piqua.

Eighth—Thomas Reed, Marysville.

Ninth—Patrick Henahan, Toledo.

Tenth—John C. Cobb, Wellston.

Eleventh—E. B. Lash, Athens.

Twelfth—Thomas B. Cox, Lancaster.

Thirteenth—John Seitz, Tiffin.

Fourteenth—Peter Herman, Norwalk.

Fifteenth—John Mahaffey, Cambridge.

Sixteenth—William M. Lupton, Martin's Ferry.

Seventeenth—William Veach, Newark.

Eighteenth—Benj. F. Wezbrecht, Alliance.

Nineteenth—George Logan, Gustavus.

Twentieth—C. A. Hopkins, Cleveland.

Twenty-First—B. I. McKinney, Cleveland.

DISTRICT.

For Member of Congress, 4th District,
GEORGE A. MARSHAL,
Shelby county.

JUDICIAL CIRCUIT.

For Judge of the Circuit Court,
CALEB H. NORRIS,
of Marion County.

COUNTY.

For Probate Judge,
THEODORE D. ROBB.For Clerk of the Court,
U. M. SHAPPELL.For County Auditor,
PHILIP WALTHER.For Commissioner,
T. C. BURNS.For County Recorder,
ABRAM HARROD.For Prosecuting Attorney,
J. C. RIDENOUR.For Infirmary Director,
ELI MECHLING.

A query for the workman:—If free coinage will lower the price of labor, why is Mark Hanna so opposed to it? He has always cut down labor to the lowest possible figure: boasts of being a "labor crusher," and of having destroyed the Seaman's Union, of Cleveland.

ANOTHER PARALLEL.

SHERMAN IN 1878.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
July 15, 1878.

DEAR SIR: To that part of your letter of the 12th inst., in which you ask my views of the matter confided in the monetary commission, I have some difficulty in replying very fully. During the monetary conference in Paris, when silver in our country was excluded from circulation by being undervalued, I was strongly in favor of the single standard of gold, and wrote a letter which you will find in the proceedings of that conference, stating briefly my view. At that time the wisest of us did not anticipate the sudden fall of silver or the risk of gold that has occurred. This uncertainty of the relation between the two metals is one of the chief arguments in favor of a monometallic system, BUT OTHER ARGUMENTS, SHOWING THE DANGEROUS EFFECT UPON INDUSTRY BY DROPPING ONE OF THE PRECIOUS METALS FROM THE STANDARD OF VALUE, OUTWEIGH IN MY MIND ALL THEORETICAL OBJECTIONS TO THE BIMETALLIC SYSTEM. I am thoroughly convinced that if it were possible for the leading commercial nations to fix by agreement an arbitrary relation between silver and gold, even though the market value might vary somewhat from time to time, it would be a measure of the greatest good to all nations. My earnest desire is that you may succeed in doing this.

You are so well informed upon this subject that it is not worth while for me to enlarge upon it. The statements and documents sent you by the director of the mint will give in authentic form most of the material facts which bear upon the question, and your own investigation on the silver commission will, I am quite sure, supply any deficiency.

Very truly yours,
JOHN SHERMAN, Secretary.
W. S. GROSBECK, Esq., Cincinnati, O.

CARLISLE IN 1878.

I shall not enter into an examination of the causes which have combined to depreciate the relative value of silver, and to appreciate the value of gold since 1873, but I am one of those who believe that they are transient and temporary in their nature, and that when they have passed away or have been removed by the separate or united actions of the nations most interested in the subject, the old ratio of actual value will be re-established on a firmer foundation than ever. I know that the world's stock of precious metals is none too large, and I see no reason to apprehend that it will ever become so. Mankind will be fortunate, indeed, if the annual production of gold and silver coin still keep pace with the actual increase of population, commerce and industry. According to my view of the subject, the conspiracy which seems to have been formed here and in Europe to destroy by legislation and otherwise from three-sevenths to one-half the metallic money of the world is the most gigantic crime of this or any other age.

The consummation of such a scheme would ultimately entail more misery upon the human race than all the wars, pestilence and famine that ever occurred in the history of the world. The absolute and instantaneous destruction of half the movable property of the world, including horses, ships, railroads and all other appliances for carrying on commerce, while it would be felt more sensibly at the moment, would not produce anything like the prolonged distress and disorganization of society that must inevitably result from the permanent annihilation of one-half of the metallic money of the world.

JOHN G. CARLISLE.
Feb. 21, 1878.

SOME PERTINENT QUESTIONS.

LADONIA, TEX., Sept. 1, 1896.

To the Editor of The Railway Age:

Being a recipient of your circulars addressed to railroad men, I beg leave to ask you a few questions, and submit a few remarks on the position you are now trying to occupy toward these employees. I will not go further back in history than a couple of years for the chief points, and will not use ambiguous terms or expressions.

1. In July, 1894, before, during and after the strike in Chicago, what was your attitude toward the American Railway Union?

2. Did you or did you not use every means in your power to crush this union?

3. Did you or did you not gloat over the arrest of Debs and others, and did you not congratulate yourself when they were convicted and sentenced?

4. Have you ever given one scintilla of encouragement to labor organizations of any kind?

5. Have you not persistently fought these organizations in the past, and do you not intend doing the same in the future?

6. You now advise these men to organize for a political purpose. Then why not encourage them in doing so for self-protection, benevolence and fraternity?

Answer these questions in a truthful and manly way, without subterfuge or concealment, or forever hold your peace as an adviser to railroad men.

The railroad employee never forgets a friend, and will never "kiss the hand that smote him." The labor organizations of this country have already spoken on the silver question, and intend to be consistent, which is a virtue you do not possess. The wage-earners seek no advice or education from you, who have been their most bitter enemy.

As to your arguments (?) they are too flimsy, gauzy and ridiculous for even a passing notice. It is a common opinion that they emanated from the brain, to use your own expression, of a "blooming fool."

Hoping you will use your exertions in the future for the welfare of the masses and not of the classes, I am, yours, etc.,

G. N. CAMPBELL.

TO REDEEM SILVER IN GOLD.

Mr. Bryan Calls Attention to Carlisle's Latest Statement.

Our opponents are doing as much for us in this campaign as we are able to do for ourselves. And of all the public documents recently issued the most important one is the letter just given to the public written by the secretary of the treasury, from which I desire to quote one sentence. "It is the duty of the secretary of the treasury and of all other public officials to execute in good faith the policy declared by congress."

And mark these words, "And whenever he shall be satisfied that the silver dollar cannot be kept equal in purchasing power with the gold dollar except by receiving it in exchange for the gold dollar, when such exchange is demanded, it will be his duty to adopt that course."

I want to mark those words because in those words the secretary of the treasury tells you that whenever the secretary is satisfied that it is necessary he will at once redeem silver dollars in gold. I call your attention to that, my friends, because I want to emphasize the deception that has been practiced by this administration on the money question.

When this administration advised the repeal of the Sherman law, you were,

told that the repeal of that act would remedy the difficulty. Yet as soon as the Sherman law was repealed the same authority which promised relief as soon as it was repealed came to congress with the demand that greenbacks and treasury notes must be retired by an issue of gold bonds in order to stop the drain upon the treasury's gold. But now the secretary of the treasury informs you that even if the greenbacks and treasury notes were all retired, so that there would not be a dollar of paper money to be presented for gold, yet it would be his duty (whenever, in his opinion, it became necessary) to redeem silver dollars in gold and start another endless chain and drain upon the treasury. According to the doctrine laid down in Mr. Carlisle's letter you cannot stop the drain of gold from the treasury until you retire all the silver dollars and silver certificates and leave nothing but gold as the money of the country.

I am glad that this declaration has been made. I am glad that our opponents are, step by step, revealing to the public eye this heartless, merciless, criminal policy. I am glad that they have told the public that we must have gold alone, and then confessed to the public that we are in the hands of two banking syndicates and must pay them for that gold whatever they want.

Talk about monopolies! Talk about trusts! My friends, they propose to establish the most gigantic of all trusts—a money trust—and let the few men who hold the gold dole it out at such price as they will to all the other 70,000,000 of free born American people. I denounce the policy as more cruel and heartless than political domination of a foreign power. I would rather, as some one has said, put our army in the hands of a foreign general or our navy in command of a foreign admiral than to put the treasury department in the hands of a secretary who would barter it away to a syndicate. I would resist such a financial policy with as much earnestness as I would resist the progress of an invading army coming to attack our homes.

The Republican party offers no protection to the farmers, who constitute the home market of the factory employees. Free silver protects them against Indian wheat and Egyptian cotton.

The Protest Filed.

Albany, Oct. 5.—The protest of the regular Democratic state committee against the word "Democratic" by the gold Democrats on the official ballot was filed with the secretary of state. A hearing on the protest will probably be given on Wednesday of next week.

Spring a Surprise.

Troy, N. Y., Oct. 5.—George H. Morrison, the defaulting county treasurer sprang a surprise upon the county officials by making a general assignment to Charles P. Kimball of all his property. He is still in jail in default of \$100,000 bail.

Did the Queen Farewell.

London, Oct. 5.—The visit of the czar and zarina to Queen Victoria at Balmoral castle ended last night. After dining with her majesty the imperial guests took formal leave of the queen at the tower entrance. The avenue leading thereto was lined by Balmoral Highlanders.

An Unclaimed Corpse.

Kenton, O., Oct. 5.—C. C. Vonary, the New York traveling salesman who died at the hotel here, was buried by the Knights of Pythias, of which he was a member. None of his relatives could be found.

Mark Hanna's Good Friend.

Mark Hanna's rapid strides as the friend of labor mark him as the logical candidate for Mr. Sovereign's job.—Washington Post (Gold).

DOUBLE TRAGEDY

An Ottawa Husband Attacks His Wife With a Razor

And Then Attempted to Kill Himself—The Act Committed on One of the Public Streets

Ottawa, Saturday evening, came very nearly being the scene of a double tragedy. It was a case where an enraged and worthless husband attempted to take the life of his wife and afterward his own. The act was not committed in a room or a place closed to the view of the public, but on the sidewalk of one of the principal streets of the town. The man who attempted the murder and suicide was Frank Depew. They had started from their home to go up town and when just off of Main street he drew a razor and remarked that he guessed they had better both die and attempted to cut his wife's throat. He slashed her face in two places and cut her arm as she was attempting to defend herself. He then, with the same weapon, attempted to end his wretched existence by drawing the keen edge of the razor across his own throat. The wound he made was an ugly one and nearly severed the windpipe. The jugular vein was not cut and the probabilities are that he will recover.

When first taken in charge by the authorities it was believed that he would die, but unless nature should refuse to heal the wounds both will recover. Immediately after the authorities heard of the affair Depew was placed under arrest for attempted murder and now lingers in the jail suffering from a triple burden and awaiting the action of a grand jury, which will doubtless judge him a criminal.

Y. M. C. A. Gym Classes Open this Week.

This afternoon at 4:30 the first session of the business men's class was held, with a great deal of enthusiasm. The director urges the presence of individuals among the professional, office and business fraternity, to acquaint themselves with this line of work, if preservation and promotion of health is regarded at all.

This evening at 8 o'clock the evening business men's class will meet. Juniors, Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock; Seniors, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

No additional charge to members for enrollment in above classes.

The Best for Children.

"I believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best for children I ever used. For croup it is unequalled. It is a splendid seller with us. T. M. Eckles, Ph. G., manager Wampum Pharmacy, Wampum, Pa." When used as soon as the first symptoms appear, that is as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough has appeared, it will prevent the attack. The mothers of croupy children should bear this in mind and keep the remedy at hand. It is also the best medicine in the world for colds and whooping cough. For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by Melville, the druggist, old postoffice corner, and C. W. Heister, 58 public square.

We Have a Car Load

Of fancy Jersey Sweet Potatoes to arrive next Wednesday or Thursday. We intend to give the people the benefit of the extremely low price for which we bought them, and are going to give a bushel free with a pound of Tea at 60c, or a pound of Baking Powder at 50c. Let us book your order, to be delivered as soon as they arrive.

Some of our South Side competitors have put out their advertisements agreeing to give a bushel of sweet potatoes free with a pound of tea for 55 cents. When we advertise any special, such as our sweet potato deal, we guarantee to give our 60c teas. We would suggest that in buying tea from our imitators that you ask for their regular 60c teas and see if they will give you a bushel of sweet potatoes. We will also agree to furnish anybody as good a tea as our competitors are trying to put onto you, for 10 cents a pound.

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Entertaining! Instructive!

South Lima ladies should not forget Mrs. Saunders' lecture at Grace M. E. church this evening at 7:30. It

They Wept Bitterly.

Springfield, O., Oct. 5.—Maggie Wilson and Jessie Blair were sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary for murdering Arthur Wilson. When the judge passed his sentence both women wept bitterly.

Mr. Couderc Returns.

New York, Oct. 5.—Frederick R. Couderc returned on La Bourgoigne from The Hague, where he has been on business connected with the Venezuelan boundary commission.

CITY STORAGE HOUSE.

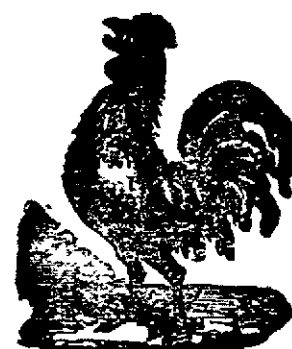
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Has leased the Finch Block, south of the river, and is now fully prepared to store the following kinds of goods:

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DEMOCRATIC MEETING!



—AT—

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LIMA, OHIO.

Monday Even'g, Oct 5, '96.

To be addressed by

GENERAL E. B. FINLEY,

The Eloquent Orator of Bucyrus.

Judge Norris and Judge Mooney, will also deliver short addresses.

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Better Times.

Meetings will be held in the various townships in Allen county as follows, at which the cause of the people in their fight for free silver and a return of better times will be presented by popular and eloquent speakers:

PERRY TWP. HOUSE—Tuesday evening, Oct. 6. To organize a Bimetallic Club. Speaker, Chas. H. Adkins.

LIPSETT SCHOOL HOUSE—Saturday evening, October 10. Speakers: Nelson McBride and W. H. Klinger.

BEAVER DAM—Thursday evening, October 8, at 7 o'clock. Speaker: W. L. Reddick.

CONANT—Friday evening, October 9. Speakers: Robert Eastman and A. S. Graham.

HELSCHSCHOOL HOUSE, Shawnee township—Tuesday evening, October 13. Speakers: Robert Eastman and Daniel Daniels.

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Regardless of the hard times and the stringency in the money market everywhere, I am in a position to get all the money needed to supply good applications for loans.

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REYNOLD H. TREAT.

A SOLDIER'S FUNERAL.

Remains of John Loflin Interred in
the Old Cemetery Yesterday.

The funeral services of John Loflin, who died at the home of Louis Pelt Saturday morning, from pneumonia, were held from Grosjean's undertaking establishment yesterday noon at 2 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. R. W. Wilson of the United Brethren church, the local G. A. R. and U. V. U. were well represented in the attendance. Rev. Wilson's funeral sermon was very eloquent and impressive, and also the remarks made by L. F. Ellis, of the U. V. U. A pretty wreath of flowers were upon the casket, and the remains were interred in the old cemetery.

It is surprising to many that football players and other athletes regard bruise or bruise of so little consequence. One reason of this is, they know how to treat such injuries so as to recover from them in a few days, but others would be laid up for two or three weeks, if not longer. Write from Central State Normal School, Haven, Pa. Mr. W. H. Losch, captain of the base ball club and an athlete, says: "I take pleasure in stating that members of our base ball club and myself have used Chamberlain's Pain Balm with most excellent results. I unhesitatingly recommend it as the best remedy for aches, swellings, cuts and bruises, of that I know." For sale by Melville, the druggist, old postoffice corner, and C. W. Heister, 58 public square.

At Treat's. "Treat" yourself and buy now. 2-3

LETTER LIST.

Letters remaining uncalled for in
Lima postoffice for week ending
Oct. 5, 1896:

ack, Harry Kelly, W C
appell, Jorgia Leach, S S
ghoon, Harry Mahon, David
ming, Levi Miller, Madge
ink, Louis Mowen, Homer
ford, Mary, (2) Muntz, A L
ster, Mary O'Neal, Richard
d, Mary Peer, Hulda
y, Eta Reas, A D
ath, Emma Sartor, Harvey
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ies, Louis I Stout, John
Swenson, John.

Parties calling for any of the above
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LADIES' SUITS
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\$5 to \$20.
CARROLL & COONEY.

SEVERELY INJURED.

Mrs. John Schnabel is Thrown from
a Carriage

And Dislocated Her Shoulder—Horse
Frightened at an Electric Car.

Mrs. John Schnabel was seriously injured in a runaway about 11 o'clock this morning. Mr. and Mrs. Schnabel had made arrangements to spend a few days with their uncle, who lives south of Lima. The party started in a carriage from their home at the corner of West and Wayne streets. They drove south on West street until they reached the street car lines, when an approaching car frightened the horse, which began at once to run. Mr. Schnabel, who is a large man, was unable to check the beast. Both men took hold of the lines, but the horse could not be controlled. It was pulled to one side, and as it tumbled up onto the sidewalk the carriage struck a maple tree. Mrs. Schnabel was thrown out upon the pavement and fell on her left shoulder. Grosjean's ambulance was summoned and she was taken to her home. Doctors were called, and upon examination found her collar bone dislocated. Her body was badly bruised and she suffered greatly. The examination did not reveal any internal injuries.

DIVORCE GRANTED

To Mrs. Mary Brattain on the
Grounds of Gross Neglect.

Judge Robb this morning granted a divorce to Mrs. Mary Brattain against Louis E. Brattain on the grounds of gross neglect of duty. They were married in 1872 and have five children, three of whom are married and two single. The minor children were given into the custody of the mother.

HISTORIC CLOCK

Ticking Off Its Second Century—
Relic of the Revolution.

Dr. J. McLean Moulder, of Kokomo, Ind., is the owner of a clock that is a valued relic. He took it as a pledge for a doctor bill from a colonel of a North Carolina regiment, whose eyes are being treated. The clock, which has been keeping time for 126 years, is of the "wall-sweep" variety, and it is now ticking off its second quarter of its second century. The old timer was swinging to and fro at Guilford Courthouse, North Carolina, long years before the Revolutionary war. It is still in good condition, although getting somewhat erratic at times—striking at unseasonable hours and stopping when it gets tired. Last week it stopped with the hands pointing to 1 and refused to move out of that notch. When urged it went on another strike.

SUNDAY SCRAPPERS.

Four of them Locked up by the Po-
lice Yesterday.

J. B. Layman and Thomas Welsh, indulged in a scrap in front of the Hotel Latham, east High street, yesterday, and were arrested by patrolman Cretzinger. This morning they were arraigned before acting Mayor Mowen upon charges of fighting, to which they pleaded guilty and were fined \$5 and costs each. The amounts of their fines and costs were secured and they were released.

Will Plance and Dwight Harter were arrested on the South Side yesterday by patrolmen Cretzinger and Smalley. They have not yet been arraigned, but will also be charged with fighting.

Mrs. David L. Werts Dead.

At three o'clock Sunday afternoon
death claimed for his own, Mary B.
Werts.

For many years she had been a great sufferer from consumption, and during the past year had been confined to her bed all the time. Her sufferings were very great, yet she bore all with cheerfulness and Christian fortitude, and gladly awaited her summons to the better land. She was the only daughter of Oliver C. Dewees, was born March 1st, 1859, and hence past thirty-seven years of age. Her father, mother and three brothers, Elsworth, Ollie and Will survive her.

When seventeen years of age, she married Mr. Werts, and there were born to them four children. Clifford, the only son, died at Chattanooga, Tenn., where they had moved for her health; while Ada, Dora and Ione are left with their father to mourn their loss. She was an exemplary wife, mother, friend and neighbor. At the age of thirteen she united with the Baptist church, and has lived a consistent Christian life.

Her funeral will be held from the First Baptist church at two o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Services conducted by Rev. Rupp.

A Columbus Grove Buyer in Lima.

Mr. Chas. Bassler, a leading merchant of Columbus Grove, after inspecting the different makes of ranges sold by Lima dealers, decided that the celebrated Bohn Steel range was superior to all others. This celebrated range was awarded first prize at the World's Fair in Chicago in 1893, being in competition against the Banner, Favorite, Garland and two hundred other different makes. Hoover Bros. are sole agents for them, and their red wagon delivered the range to Mr. Bassler this afternoon. Use a Bohn range and you will always be contented.



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\$8, \$10,
\$12 and \$15.



GENERAL DEBILITY

Causes the Death of an Aged Lady in
Amanda Township.

Miss Elizabeth Keller, aged 70 years, died last night at 9 o'clock at her home in Amanda township, ten miles west of this city. The deceased had been in ill health for some time, but her illness did not become serious until some ten days ago.

The funeral services will be held from the M. E. church at Allentown, to-morrow afternoon. Rev. Hagerman, of Elida, will conduct the services.

"I had chronic diarrhoea for ten years," says L. W. Kichlein, a justice of the peace at South Easton, Pa. "No remedy afforded me real relief until I was induced by Chas. T. Kilian, the druggist, to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It cured me and for a year I have had no return of the trouble." It has also cured many others, among them old soldiers who had contracted the disease in the army and given up all hope of recovery. For sale by Melville, the druggist, old postoffice corner and C. W. Heister, 58 public square.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

NOTES.

Fireman Murphy is laying off on
account of illness.

Engine 52, of the L. E. & W., is in
the machine shop for an overhauling.

New crossings are being put in at
the junction of the C. & E. and L. E.
& W.

Brakeman Halterman, of the L. E.
& W., has returned to work after
laying off a trip.

Switchman J. A. Yerrington, of
the C. & E. is suffering from an at-
tack of typhoid fever.

Conductor Chas. Jeffries, of the L.
& W., is laying off. Conductor
Stout is running his car.

Superintendent of Tracks and
Construction J. F. White, of the C.
& E. & W., was in the city this morn-
ing.

General yardmaster H. J. Jury, of
the C. & E., is at Upper Sandusky,
where he was called by the death of
his sister.

Conductor A. A. Ridenour, of the L.
& W., is on the sick list. Extra
conductor Sheets is running his car
on east local.

A dispatch from Wapakoneta to
the Toledo Bee, says: John Boyer, of
Botkins, received \$3,500 from a jury
against the Cincinnati, Hamilton &
Dayton railroad for being pushed
from a fast train on which he was
riding. He sued for \$20,000.

Passenger officials are determined
to make all the money they can out
of the present political campaign.
D. G. Edwards, passenger traffic man-
ager of the Cincinnati, Hamilton &
Dayton, has asked agents on the
lines to send to his office at the earli-
est possible moment information re-
garding political meetings to be held
in their cities during the coming
campaign.

The last report of the interstate
commerce commission showed that
there remained 1,000,000 cars and
locomotives in the United States to
be equipped with air brakes before
January, 1898, or within the next fif-
teen months, at an expenditure of
\$30,000,000. All cars not equipped
as required by law January 1st, 1898,
will be fined \$100 a day for each case
violated, which in the case of 100 cars
unequipped, would mean a fine of

\$10,000 a day. The only roads that
will be able to get over this law ap-
pear to be the roads under the juris-
diction of the courts.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—Property on west
Spring street, to exchange for property
close to Catholic church. Inquire at 722 east
High street. 3 6t

WANTED—Trustworthy person to travel
Salary \$50 and expenses. Reference.
Enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.
Manager, Box P., Chicago. 3-3t

FOR RENT—A business room at 111 east
Wayne street; also four rooms at stairs
at same place for rent on 1st floor. For
particulars enquire at Lawlor's grocery, 118
east Wayne street. 4 6t

LOST—Brown and white bird dog; answers
to the name of Charley. A liberal re-
ward will be paid if returned to Adam Fritz,
206 west Elm street. 4 6t

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Mackintoshes---thesame
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VENEZUELA TRADE.

BIG OPPORTUNITIES AWAITING AMERICAN ENTERPRISE.

Report of the President of the National Association of Manufacturers on the Development of Our Commerce With South American Countries—Prior Compared.

Theodore C. Search of Philadelphia, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, which has had a delegation at work in South America, reports that greatly promising opportunities await American capital and American enterprise.

The delegation has already successfully inaugurated the first portion of its task in Venezuela, where the government has welcomed the visitors with open arms and has extended valuable concessions as regards tariff duties to American products.

An exhibition warehouse has been established in Caracas, the capital city of Venezuela, for the display and sale of United States manufactures. Favorable conditions are presented by the sister republic in that such merchandise as may be entered for exhibit will be admitted free of duty, the customs dues to be paid only in case of actual sale. The sole purpose of this sample warehouse enterprise is that Venezuelan merchants may have an opportunity of seeing what American products they can buy to advantage.

The entire exhibition is under the auspices of the National Association of Manufacturers, and the general manager will have for assistants merchants who are thoroughly familiar with the respective lines of goods. It is not intended that this exhibition shall be a source of profit to the association. It is desired only that the proceeds shall be sufficient to cover the cost of maintenance. Each exhibit booth will pay at least \$125 per annum in addition to the expense of transportation from this country to Caracas.

Mr. Search in his report gives a comparison of prices that is very instructive and suggestive.

"American prices of hardware will compare favorably with the English. German prices are low, but the quality of the goods is far inferior. Furniture of poor quality is largely manufactured in Venezuela, but it is extremely expensive. The better quality of furniture is imported from France, as well as all household decorations and furnishings. A splendid opportunity presents itself for the introduction of American furniture.

"There is an excellent market for high grade shoes, hats and clothing. There is no leather to speak of manufactured in Venezuela, and this fact suggests that the country would well be worth cultivating for the sale of leather, uppers and shoe findings.

"When the Spanish-Americans become better acquainted, by practical demonstration, with the merits of American machinery and labor saving appliances, a good trade will surely result. At the present time the machinery which they employ in the coffee and cocoa plantations is principally bought in England and Holland.

"It is the expressed opinion of Venezuelan merchants that we could export with profit these products in addition to the American manufactures which that country now imports—building material, hardware, common glassware, cutlery, fencing wire, mining and sugar machinery, agricultural implements, carriages, cars, steam engines, lumber, cotton goods, certain kinds of wearing apparel, all kinds of articles for home furnishing and decoration, carpets, curtains, rugs and novelties."

It is believed that the practical American business methods shown in the conduct of the exhibition will prove a salutary lesson to Venezuelans. The association will not engage in a commission business on its own account, but, on the contrary, will make use of existing business houses for the promotion of international trade. As imports to this country from Venezuela are largely in excess of American exports thither, there is always a large balance against the United States, and in the absence of adequate banking facilities the established commission houses, with their large balances in this country, offer the most convenient agency for the transaction of business with Venezuela and for the safe guarantee of the accounts of Venezuelan purchasers.

Business generally is on sound footing in Venezuela. The currency is on a gold basis, and the principal banks are managed on sound business lines. They are all in a perfectly solvent condition. Coffee forms about two-thirds of the total exports of the country; then comes cocoa; hides, dyeing and tanning materials, hard wood and minerals follow in the order mentioned.

The Germans are first in importance, numbers and energy as brokers throughout Venezuela. Great Britain has hitherto been the most formidable competitor of the United States in trade with Venezuela. The consensus of mercantile opinion in that country is to the effect that the result of the present territorial complication with Great Britain will be a closer commercial relationship between the United States and Venezuela. The latter country hates England, but has great admiration for the "land of the free and the home of the brave." Venezuela has no love to spare for Germany for divers reasons, and she looks for counsel and guidance to the United States.

Samuel Proskauer, United States consul at Puerto Cabello, is authority for the statement that the Spanish Americans are extremely eager for more intimate trade relations with this country. He has carefully examined the matter and says that there is no doubt of the friendly business feelings apart from all political considerations, the natives being equally as well served as by dealing with European merchants.

The machete, a very large and broad

knife, is imported from England by tens of thousands annually. The average Venezuelan cannot dispense with the use of this weapon. Coal is now imported in great quantities from New York and Newport News, Va., and is received with much better favor than the coal exported from Cardiff, Wales, to Venezuela.

American flour is now the principal article of export from the United States, and the indications are that in the near future some important Venezuelan tariff concessions will materially increase the flour trade with Spanish America. American beers and wines are highly regarded by the southern republic, and this traffic only requires booming by promoters of breweries and agencies to make it a leader over German beer and French and Spanish wines. —Philadelphia Telegraph.

BOYS IN THE NAVY.

Rear Admiral Bunce Speaks of Life on the Training Ship.

Rear Admiral Bunce of the United States navy was interviewed the other day as follows:

"Do you find any perceptible increase in the number of native Americans enlisting in the navy?"

"Yes, there is a large increase in the percentage of native Americans who now enlist as seamen. We are getting some 800 or 900 sailors a year from the Newport training school, and these are all Americans and make our best sailors. They are boys who are taken at 14 to 16 years of age and apprenticed until they become 21. They receive \$9 per month and are well fed and clothed and taught the trade of a sailor in every respect. After they serve their apprenticeship they can enlist in the navy or return to civil life. In addition to their regular sailor duty, they are taught many things in electricity, have a splendid physical training and are thoroughly disciplined. Why, young Vanderbilt, with all his millions, couldn't buy such a physical training as those boys receive, and I am sure he doesn't receive half the care in his diet."

"Is the training ship a sort of reformatory for wild boys or those who are amenable for some crime?"

"No. Not in any respect is it a reformatory institution. We have no boys who are vicious or viciously inclined. The boys come to us with their parents' consent and pass a certain examination. We take none who cannot read or write. If they do not turn out well or they prove to be viciously inclined, we send them home. Our apprentice boys are all good boys, who are amenable to discipline, and, as I said before, make the best of sailors. We always select our petty officers from them, for they are our brightest sailors. In the event of war these who have returned to civil life would naturally come back into the navy, where they would speedily find good positions." —Hartford Courant.

A DIET OF FLOWERS.

Strange Food Habit of an Eccentric Woman in New Jersey.

Mrs. Charles Gorman, a demented widow living in a deserted house at Union Hill, N. J., has been found to be attempting to live on morning glory pods soaked in water, which she obtains from a pond near by and which she believes to be sacred. In this pond she has also frequently bathed. She has religious hallucinations and is waiting for angels to carry her off bodily to heaven. Frequent complaints to the police have been made of her strange behavior.

On one occasion Dr. Stellwagen, the town physician, tried to call upon her, but she jumped through a window and escaped. She was formerly in a religious institution in New York. On the complaint of Mrs. Eede, a next door neighbor, Recorder Shelton will send her to an asylum. —New York Journal.

HE NEVER KNEW.

A Deaf Man's Home Ruined Without His Knowledge.

A remarkable feature in connection with a storm which passed over Burlington, N. J., recently, was the fact that a portion of a house was blown down, and although the occupant sat in one of the rooms he did not know of it until informed by his neighbors. The man is Wesley Ford, and he occupies a brick house on South High street. During the storm he sat in the parlor, with his wife. Both are deaf, and when the tornado picked up the roof of his house and a portion of the upper story and carried it into an adjoining lot they were not aware of their danger until told. —New York World.

New Feature In Sculpture.

Jules Ferry's monument by Mercier introduces new domestic possibilities into sculpture. The pedestal of the statue is adorned with several figures, one of them being Mme. Ferry, who is still alive.

The Spirit of Autumn.

The nights are getting cooler. The days are getting in. The sorghum corn's arpeggio, cutting corn's begin. The pumpkin's in the sunshine. Air yellow in the day. And the birds are softer singing in a melancholy way.

I don't quite exactly. What it is I don't hear! Ascribable to new soft and low. A-corn from the woodland. Or in the autumn breeze. And sometimes in the orchard. Among the apple trees.

It's a sort of solemn sweetness. You can feel it in the sky. It's a kind of rapture mingled. With a dim desire to cry.

A longing, a vague yearning. After something you haven't got. A passive discontentment. With life's uncertainty.

Sometimes I think the loved ones— All them that's gone before— In autumn time come nearer. From across the other shore.

When nature has really in. And the leaves are turning red. The soft winds seem to bring. For them that's long been dead.

—S. R. in Washington Times.

"Washing made graceful."

(After a sketch in New York Trade.)



We want to show it, because this seems to be a woman who uses Pearlline (use with out soap). She's doing no work to speak of, you see—she doesn't look as if she ever had to. She appears to be rinsing out the clothes, after letting them soak in Pearlline (use with out soap) and water, which is about all the labor required.

The washboard we don't understand—unless she's washing it. Women who use Pearlline (use with out soap) don't need a washboard. They don't have that tiresome, wearing rubbing over it. But for cleaning washboards or

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When a primitive man wants breakfast, he takes a sheep, kneels upon it, holds it between his legs, and cuts its throat. He skins it, and, taking a slice out of it, fries it on the coals for breakfast.

We also demand not less imperatively outlets for our breakfast, but we manage it another way. We procure an individual some way off to kill the beast, and another out of our sight to cook it. We have a paper frill put round the bone to disguise it, and set a pot of flowers straight before us to look at while we eat it—but to the sheep—to the sheep—it can make little difference which way it is eaten! We still do our unclean work, but we do it by proxy. And it may be questioned whether what we gain in refinement we have not lost in sincerity. —Fortnightly Review.



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TALES OF THE TOWN.

There was no change in the oil market to-day.

Wauson will hold her annual bicycle meet to-morrow.

Jacob Broschus, of east Elm street, is ill with typhoid fever.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. George Bishop, of Second street, a son.

Harvey Vermillion is recovering from an attack of typhoid fever.

The Knights of St. John and C. M. B. A. will meet this evening in their respective halls at 7:30.

M. Weiss, J. F. White, C. M. Oberly and W. C. Shoemaker spent yesterday at Lewistown reservoir.

A number of Lima people will attend a taffy pulling at the home of Joseph Collins, south of Allentown, to-night.

The two colored women who were arrested Saturday morning for disorderly conduct, were released Saturday night.

J. W. Shanahan, the north side grocer, has received a fine new top delivery wagon from the Kenton wagon works.

The marriage of Miss Minnie Guinan and Will Taubken will take place Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock in St. Rose church.

The 13-year-old daughter, of J. D. Benson, of Circular street, is convalescent, after a four weeks illness from typhoid fever.

G. W. Glaze has purchased property at 721 north Main street, and has removed there from his former residence on Grand avenue.

The Page Fence Giants came into Lima this morning over the P. Ft. W. & C. and took the Lake Erie east for Findlay, where they play ball to-day.

The bans of matrimony between Edward Brennan and Miss Bridget O'Brien and Harry O'Brien and Miss Alice Kehres, all of this city, were read at St. Rose church yesterday.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held Tuesday at 2:30 p. m., at Trinity M. E. church. The members are earnestly requested to be

CONTEMPTIBLE

Tricks Resorted to by South
Lima Gold Bugs.

JIM SMILEY PLAYS A HAND.

They Attempt to Drive the Free Thinking Silverites from Their Headquarters in the Lake Erie Hotel Building.

Jim Smiley is learning well the humilitating lessons of defeat, of which politicians of his calibre are so deserving. The ex-tenant officer and the other gold standard advocates who imagine that the whole responsibility of Mr. McKinley's campaign south of Hog creek rests upon their shoulders, made desperate efforts last week to devise some scheme by which the free-thinking silverites of the South Side could be driven from their headquarters: thinking, perhaps, that without a place to hold meetings the Bimetallic League could not keep in line the numerous Republican converts to the cause of silver and honest government.

The headquarters of the South Side Bimetallic League are located in the south room of the Lake Erie Hotel building. The room had been vacant for several months when it was rented by the Bimetallic League from the widow of the late John Reece, whose estate is managed by her son, Robert Reece. Since the headquarters of the league were established in the room there have been held many enthusiastic meetings, at which the cause of free silver was earnestly advocated, and many free-thinking Republicans have heard plain truths from the lips of Democratic speakers and have joined the league to aid the people's cause. Realizing that defeat is staring them in the face and will surely be met with by themselves in November, the gold bugs of the South Side became desperate. One by one they have seen their neighbors forsake the gold standard ranks for those of the people's cause, and they determined that some desperate move should be made. Their gold standard literature was worthless among such an intellectual people, and their gold standard speeches and arguments were entirely too thin and groundless to have any effect, so they thought to break up the bimetallic organization by gaining possession of the headquarters. But to accomplish this they found a difficult undertaking. A few of the bosses visited the Reece residence and were demoralized upon seeing a lithograph of Hon. William Jennings Bryan in Robert Reece's window. "It wouldn't do to tackle Bob," some one said, "because he's for free silver." So finally one man was sent to see Mrs. Reece. The fellow stated that he wanted to rent the room in which the Bimetallic League met and that he intended to start a restaurant. Mrs. Reece did not think that the restaurant business in that room would be a successful investment because several parties had tried it and failed. The fellow insisted, however, that he wanted to rent the room for one month, and was then informed by Mrs. Reece that he was already rented to the Bimetallic League.

Then another man, who evidently was willing to squander some of Mark Hanna's money, called upon Mrs. Reece and endeavored to rent the room for a bakery. "Why, there's a bakery right next door to the room," said Mrs. Reece, but the would-be shrewd politician still insisted that he would take chances against the competition for one month, and was only disposed of when Mrs. Reece flatly informed him that the room was rented and that he could not have it under any condition.

The next caller was Jim Smiley, the ex-tenant officer and would-be second term mayor. Smiley didn't want the room for a mayor's office, or a tenant officer's sweat box, or a place to study book-keeping, or even for a store room for the white caps that he couldn't get any one to wear on the night of the Republican rally, but he wanted to start a sewing machine shop. He didn't want the whole room; only just enough in the front part to set a few sewing machines in—so that the only public entrance would be closed and opened at his own sweet will. But Jim had no better luck than did the other gold bugs who had preceded him on a similar errand. Mrs. Reece would neither lease, rent nor sell the room to him, and if he starts a sewing machine ranch before the first of November it will be in some other locality.

After Smiley and both the other men had failed to rent the room from Mrs. Reece, others were sent to Robert Reece and various inducements were thrown out to him, some even trying to influence him by saying that he would not get his money from the Bimetallic League, but Mr. Reece is a loyal silverite, and informed his visitors that an offer of \$1,000 a month would not tempt him to drive the Bryan men from their headquarters.

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COURT HOUSE NEWS.

NEW CASES

Harry H. Harrold vs. Johanna Lyons: foreclosure.
The Milwaukee Harvester Co. vs. J. C. Coon: foreclosure.
David L. Seder vs. Charles S. King and Jacob Morvillius: money.
Cornelius H. Ransbottom vs. S. J. Williams: foreclosure.
The John Church Co. vs. W. J. Culp: foreclosure.
Porter & Son vs. Pauletta Kemper: foreclosure.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been or Are Going

Col. Layton, of Wapakoneta, was in town to-day.

Ernest C. Amos, of Sidney, spent Sunday in Lima.

Hon. Geo. W. Hall, of Toledo, was in the city to-day.

Fred S. Kline, of Columbus Grove, was in the city yesterday.

H. R. Day, of Columbus Grove, was in the city yesterday.

H. S. Walbridge, of Toledo, passed through Lima this morning.

Miss Minnie Hershberg will visit friends in Bucyrus this week.

Miss Lena Victor, of St. Marys, is the guest of Mrs. Abe Frankel.

Mrs. B. Frankel will attend the fair and visit friends at Fosteria this week.

Daniel M. Bailey, of Ottawa, was in Lima to-day attending the convention.

John Ryan, of Arndt's grocery, spent Sunday with a particular friend in Ottawa.

Harry Allen, of the Enterprise drug store, is visiting friends in Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. M. Cohn has returned from Warsaw, Ind., where she has been visiting friends.

Miss Agnes Walsh, of Glynnwood, is the guest of Miss Margaret Dunn, of north Main street.

John Jones, of Chicago, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Jones, of north Elizabeth street.

Misses Celia Wyman, Dot Maguire and Ella Kingseed, of Sidney, were the guests of friends here yesterday.

Mr. J. Fred Smith and bride, nee Louise Smith, left this morning for their future home at Portage, Ohio.

J. L. Hartzog left this morning for Evansville, Ind., to attend the International convention of the J. E. I. of A.

Mrs. William H. Warner and daughter, of north Main street, are visiting friends in Ottawa and Leipsic.

Miss Marie Hummel, who was here attending the Smith-Smith nuptials, has returned to her home in Wapakoneta.

Mr. Neuman, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Koch for a few days, left the city to-day.

George Weadock, a prominent attorney of Saginaw, Mich., was in the city Saturday, the guest of his cousin, Dr. Weadock.

Charles Eckert, J. E. Grosjean's assistant, is removing his family here from Middletown, O. They will reside on north Elizabeth street.

Jerome Ellerman, of Philadelphia, left for home to-day, after a few days visit with his sisters, Mesdames Alex Frankel and Leon Loewenstein.

Mrs. Rev. Young, formerly of Oak Harbor, but now at Van Wert, spent Sunday here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Brooks, of south Jackson street.

Miss Della Andreas, of Can 1 Dover, O., who has been the guest of her cousin, Miss Maude Weaver, the past two weeks, left for her home this morning.

F. S. Thomas, formerly the Dayton Y. M. C. A. secretary, but now of the college department of the Cincinnati Y. M. C. A., is the guest to-day of secretary Turner.

Agent T. B. Sullivan, of the C. & H. & D. at Anna Station, and family, spent Sunday here the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McFarland, of West Kibby street.

General secretary D. A. Sinclair, of the Dayton Y. M. C. A., and G. M. Burce, chairman of the State Y. M. C. A. committee, passed through Lima this morning on their way home from Defiance.

Michael Enright, who spent the summer vacation here the guest of his cousin, Jno. O'Connell, of south Main street, left last week to resume his studies in St. Marys college, near Emmitsburg, Md.

Mr. Clark Robinson, of Lima, is registered at the Paza. Mrs. J. H. Meilly, who has been visiting Miss Francis Freeman for the past three weeks, returned to her home in Lima to-day. —Piqua Daily Leader.

Ladies, If you want a Boa, come to Treat's opening October 6th and 7th.

For Sale.

A livery stable formerly owned by Peter Boose, located in the northwest corner of the public square. Must be sold at once and can be bought for very little money.

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JUDGE FINLEY.

It Will Be, After the Election Next
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The Eloquent Bucyrus Attorney Nominated for Circuit Judge at To-day's Convention.

The Democracy of the Third Judicial Circuit met in convention in the court room of the court house this morning to place in nomination a candidate for the short term for Circuit Judge to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Judge Henry W. Seney. The interim between the resignation of Judge Seney and the date of holding the general election has been filled by Governor Bushnell, who appointed John K. Rohn, of Tiffin, to fill such vacancy. The appointive term which Judge Rohn will serve, terminates with the election of a successor on the 3d of November and his qualification. The person elected on November 3d will serve until the end of the year, when Judge Norris' term will begin.

The convention was called to order at eleven o'clock by J. H. Goeke, chairman of the Central Committee, who stated that the committee had selected as its temporary chairman Philip Crow, of Hardin county; for temporary secretary O. B. Selfridge, of Lima.

Chairman Crow, on assuming control of the convention, stated that he would make no speech; that the delegates had come for a specific purpose and many wanted to get away on the noon train. The convention was therefore ready for business.

On motion the temporary organization was made permanent.

On motion of J. N. Hutchison the calling of the roll of counties was dispensed with, and the convention proceeded to the presentation of names of candidates for circuit judge.

J. H. Goeke, of St. Marys, presented the name of Judge Caleb H. Norris, of Marion, and moved that he be nominated by acclamation.

Judge Norris stated that he appreciated the honor that the proposed nomination would confer upon him; but as he was the regular nominee for the full term, and there were other gentlemen who would accept the nomination for the short term, gentlemen whose presence on the ticket would add prestige and strength to it, he felt it to be his duty to decline the position.

Mr. W. L. Mackenzie, of Lima, presented the name of E. B. Finley, of Bucyrus. He said that General Finley was a man possessing all the qualifications of a judge. His presence on the ticket would add strength to it. He stood fairly upon the Democratic platform, and was now devoting his time and talents to the cause of the Democracy. When he was elected he would be a judge for all the people, not merely for the party which had elected him. He is an eminent lawyer, the peer of any of the able gentlemen now constituting the circuit bench.

Mr. Mackenzie moved that the rules be suspended and that Mr. Finley be elected by acclamation. The motion was seconded by Judge J. E. Ritchie, and when put before the convention carried without a dissenting vote.

A motion was passed authorizing the central committee to fill any vacancies that might occur on the ticket.

There being no further business before the convention a motion to adjourn prevailed. The convention was over and General Finley was made a Circuit Judge.

STREET TALK.

Mr. Ed. Sowers, of east Second street, and Miss Etta Burden, of Mr. Pheasant avenue, were married Saturday evening. The groom is an employee at the Solar refinery. Mr. and Mrs. Sowers will reside on east Kibby street.

The twelfth reunion of the 11th and 18th regiments, O. V. I., of which T. W. Dobbins, of this city, is secretary and treasurer, will be held at Columbus Grove, October 20th and 21st. The following are some of the speakers who will be present: Capt. D. W. Mills, of Chicago; Col. Willard Warner, W. H. Taylor, Col. Sowers, Capt. C. S. Brice, W. H. Blakely, Capt. J. L. Smith, and others. Recitation by Ella Davis, daughter of the regiment.

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